

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Zumbach et al.	Confirmation No.:	3844
Serial No. 09/845,220	Art Unit:	3624
Filing Date: April 30, 2001	Examiner:	Thu Thao Havan
Title: METHODS FOR ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL MARKETS	Attorney Docket No:	060967-0008-US

PETITION FOR FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

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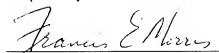
Sir:

Applicant is submitting herewith a Request for Continued Examination and an Amendment in response to a final Office Action. As a result, a Notice of Appeal filed on December 20, 2007 is automatically withdrawn pursuant to MPEP §1215.01.

Applicant hereby petitions for a five-month extension of time to file an Appeal Brief originally due on February 20, 2008, thus extending the due date for filing an Appeal Brief or otherwise responding from February 20, 2008 to July 21, 2008 (July 20 being a Sunday). The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,115.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for all required fees for this petition and the RCE and any further reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission.

Respectfully submitted,



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